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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the complete application which claims priority from and the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application Serial Number 60/394,662, filed on July 10, 2002, of **John M. HERBELIN** for **ENHANCEMENT OF CHEMICAL LASERS VIA CONTROL OF THE AMBIENT RADIATION ENVIRONMENT** and which is hereby incorporated by reference. The application comprises a 46-page specification, including 14 claims (1 independent) and Abstract, and 4 sheets of drawings.

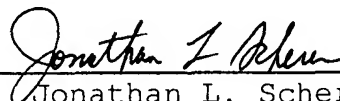
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